

32. (original) The configured computer program storage medium of claim 28, wherein the obtaining step comprises reading pre-boot code from the file and using redirected I/O to read the file as the alternate source.

33. (original) The configured computer program storage medium of claim 28, wherein the obtaining step comprises setting a default item in a boot.ini file.

34. (original) The configured computer program storage medium of claim 28, wherein the obtaining step comprises changing the name of a file a boot record will load.

35. (original) The configured computer program storage medium of claim 28, wherein the obtaining step comprises substituting other pre-boot code for standard NT loader code.

Conclusion

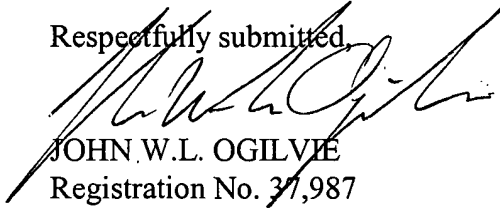
In light of the above, Applicants and Assignee respectfully submit that the application as amended is in condition for allowance. Their silence here as to any point does not signify agreement or acquiescence in the Office's assertions, and they reserve all arguments.

If any impediment to allowance of the claims remains after this Amendment is entered, the Examiner is strongly encouraged to call John Ogilvie at 801-566-6633 so that such matters may be resolved as expeditiously as possible.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Amendment to Deposit Account No. 20-0100.

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